

CANDIDATE STATEMENT
City of Hayward
Mayor

Office: Mayor

Jurisdiction: Hayward

Name: Mark Salinas

Occupation: College Educator/Council Member

Age (optional): 43

My education and qualifications are:

Born and raised in Hayward I graduated from Hayward High School, transferred from Chabot College to San Francisco State where I earned a Master's degree in educational administration and public policy. I am a 15 year college lecturer of History, Sociology, and Political Science. As a lifelong resident I am concerned about what Hayward has become due to years of ineffective leadership that now wants to be your Mayor. Today our comeback starts with new leadership. Our city's image hurts. People feel unsafe. Buildings have remained empty for decades. I am especially disappointed that council members have for decades disconnected the City from Hayward schools, colleges, university, and students' futures. As Mayor I intend to restore our city's positive image; put 200 patrol officers on the roster; fill empty buildings by making it easier to open businesses; create jobs for Hayward workers; and I intend to make Hayward an Education City. Strong city-school partnerships lead to safer schools; career pathways for Hayward graduates; and businesses looking in Hayward to invest. Public safety, business, and educators endorse me and believe my vision for Hayward benefits all. As your Mayor, we'll make Hayward better! I ask for your support.
www.salinasforhayward.com

Signature of Candidate: _____